

# Placerville Republican

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WEATHER

Cloudy tonight, Sat.; little temperature change.

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## COUGARS MEET IONE TONIGHT

Three-Game Series On  
Home Courts Opens With  
C Team Game At 7 P. M.

Ione high school, which has a way of tossing out surprises in basketball, sends three teams to Placerville tonight for the second round of the regular Mother Lode High School League schedule against the Cougars.

The games will be played at the high school gymnasium, starting at 7 o'clock, with the C teams taking the floor first; then the B teams and finally the A teams.

Although the Cougars were returned winners in all three games in their series with Sutter Creek last week, they are taking no chances of over-confidence with Ione and expect hard campaigns in all three games.

Special preparations have been made by the Cougar rooting section support in the games and it is reported that Bonnie Thiel and LaVonne Noland, recently named assistant yell-leaders, will be in charge of the rooting section for tonight's games.

## "Battle Raging" Off Monterey

Coast Defenses Answer  
Effort By "Enemy" Fleet  
To Land Invading Forces

MONTREY, (UP) — The U. S. battle fleet began theoretical bombardment of the Monterey peninsula today, seeking to clear the way for the landing of the attacking "Black" army on California soil in joint army-navy exercises.

The fleet, moving up through the night to positions 10,000 and 12,000 yards off the Monterey Beach, established itself in "easy firing range" and signalled that the bombardment had begun.

The field artillery units of the defending "Blue" army began their task of shelling the ships, seeking theoretically to drive them away and prevent the landing of Major Walter Sweeney's invading army of 7,500 of the Third Division.

The Black army waited in five transports about three miles off Point Pinos, a promontory of Monterey Bay, for the effort to land and complete the tactical maneuvers.

An all-day artillery duel was in prospect.

## MRS. JANE NORDYKE, SISTER OF MRS. KILLOUGH, DIED FRIDAY

Mrs. Jane Nordyke, 89, sister of Mrs. Elizabeth Killough, of this city, and a former resident here, died early Friday noon at Healdsburg where, in the recent past, she had been making her home with a daughter.

Mrs. Nordyke was 89 years of age and a native of Iowa. She came to California as a small child with her parents, T. J. and Eliza Potteet, and had lived the greater part of her life in this state.

She is survived by four children, Elmer and Leander Nordyke, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Myra Stewart, of Healdsburg; and Mrs. Alta Sutton, of Friday Harbor, Washington. Several brothers and sisters also survive her. They are Alfred and Ivan Potteet, of Los Angeles; Emory Potteet, of Boise, Idaho; Mrs. Clara Moody, of Los Angeles; Mrs. Laura Fields, of San Francisco; and Mrs. E. Killough, of this city.

Mrs. Nordyke will be remembered by friends in Placerville as a very dear lady who spent her life doing for others unselfishly.

The arrangements for the funeral services are not complete.

## Lions Club Members Off To Mid-Winter Meeting

President L. R. Armes, Secretary Arthur Mart and Thomas Maul and Loren Atwood, of Placerville Lions Club, left Friday noon to attend the annual mid-winter conference of Lions at Fresno at which Secretary General Melvin Jones, founder of Lions International, will be an honored guest.

Lions Palmer and Bert Pierroz plan to leave Saturday morning to attend the concluding sessions of the meeting.

## Mauled by Russian Bear



Smiling despite his wounds, this Finnish soldier seems pleased with the bandaging being done by a pretty nurse in a field hospital close to the zone of battle with Russia. (Central Press)

## LIONS TOURNEY OPENS SUNDAY

Handicaps In Intra-Club  
Golf Match Announced  
By Committee In Charge

Placerville Lions start match play Sunday at the Placerville Golf Course in the club's annual Spring tournament among its own members.

Qualifying rounds were completed during the past week and the pairings were announced Thursday as follows:

Robert E. Roberts against J. G. Hearn, 3 up; and Leo Burger against Perry Tracy, 3 up;

M. T. Kelly vs K. W. McCoy, 3 up; and Don Goodrich against L. R. Armes, 3 up;

B. E. Larson against C. J. MacMurray, 3 up; and Dr. M. E. Hensley against Roy G. Strum, 2 up;

John H. Palmer against Woodward Fox, and Loren Atwood against Bert Pierroz.

## Sacramento Motorist Fined As Reckless

James M. Colling, of Sacramento, was fined \$25 in city court Friday morning when he pleaded guilty to a charge of reckless driving. He had been cited Sunday by City Officer D. W. LeBourveau.

After this matter was disposed of, city police called Colling's attention to a Berkeley citation, allegedly unanswered, charging him with failure to stop at an arterial sign. It was expected he would post bail in this matter.

Glen Sewell, of Sacramento, was fined \$10 in city court Friday morning on a charge of speeding. He had been cited Sunday by City Officer D. W. LeBourveau.

Forest Supervisor Edwin F. Smith, Wallace M. Ripley and James A. Irving were among El Dorado County representatives at Sacramento on Friday, attending the meeting of the Sacramento Valley Council of the State Chamber of Commerce.

George C. Wood, range supervisor, was in town Friday on business at the Agricultural Conservation Association headquarters.

A. O. Nelson, of Garden Valley, was in town Thursday conferring with the farm advisor.

## Fishermen Return From Eel River Campaign

A party of El Dorado County fishermen returned Thursday from the Eel River, where they had spent the fore part of the week "ganging up" and with some success on the steelhead.

In the group were Lloyd A. Raffetto, Archie McNe, Dr. Lester B. Rantz, Lloyd Cannon and Captain J. H. Hill.

## SENTENCE SUSPENDED AS ACCUSED POSTS BOND IN COURT

In the matter of Dallas Clayton, charged with failure to provide judgment was suspended in Superior Court Friday morning after the defendant had posted bond in the amount of \$500 to insure his payment of \$20 per month which, the court ordered, shall be paid each month to the county clerk.

## Kelsey Center To Hear Soils Service Aide

Arthur Miller, range manager for the Soil Conservation Service, will be the chief speaker at the regular meeting of the Kelsey Farm Center, to be held tonight at Kelsey Hall.

## FRIGID WAVE MAY BREAK

Middle West Given Hope  
Temperature May Raise  
To Zero Mark Today

By UNITED PRESS  
Relief from the severe cold wave which nipped most of the nation was forecast for today and the U. S. Weather Bureau at Chicago, hub of the misplaced "arctic circle," predicted that the mercury might rise to zero or a few degrees above in the central area. Snow flurries were expected to accompany the rising temperatures.

Higher temperatures were reported in the Dakotas and northwestern Minnesota. Comparatively warmer weather was expected in the Ohio river and Missouri river valleys. Continued sub-zero cold was forecast for most of the upper Great Lakes region.

Rock Springs, Wyo., was reported the coldest city in the nation early today with 28 degrees below zero. Schools were closed in many sections of the northern middle-west because of the cold. Fires were numerous and at Minneapolis one fireman who was overcome by smoke died when flames forced 44 residents from an apartment house. Railroads in some cities heated refrigerator cars to prevent freezing of perishable goods.

The cold wave persisted in the snow covered northeast. The forecast in New York was colder Friday and continued cold Saturday.

## DIAMOND SPRINGS SCOUTS GET MERIT BADGE LIBRARY

When the Scouts of Troop 95, at Diamond Springs, want to learn what they must do and how they should go about it to qualify for any of the 103 merit badges which Scouting awards, all they need do is refer to their library of Merit Badge Manuals.

The set of 103 booklets was presented to the troop recently by C. G. Price, of Diamond Springs, who is a member of the troop committee, a member and finance chairman of the county district committee, and also a member of the area council committee and a member of the area council finance committee.

The Merit Badge training of Boy Scouts has many excellent points and one in particular which goes beyond the field of Scouting of a number of vocations and avocations in the earning of various Merit badges, to permit them to become definitely interested in subjects which they may continue to follow in their adult life.

In this way, it is possible that a Boy Scout may select his life's work as a result of the introduction to the subject he receives in accomplishing what is necessary to earn a Merit Badge in that subject.

## DICK SCOLLIN RETURNS TO S. F. TO MANAGE THE PLAZA

Ben L. Frank, general manager of the Pacific States Savings' chain of hotels announces the appointment of Richard I. (Dick) Scollin as manager of The Plaza Hotel, San Francisco, and its famous El Prado. Dick Scollin returns to his native San Francisco after an absence of some twenty one years, accompanied by his charming wife. Dick Scollin brings to his new post at The Plaza a wealth of experience in hotel operations throughout the country. He comes directly from Hotel St. Catherine at Santa Catalina Island.

## JORDAN RITES ON SATURDAY

Services Will Be Held  
In Assembly Chamber  
At State Capitol

By JOHN W. DUNLAP  
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, (UP) — The body of Frank C. Jordan, veteran secretary of state, will lie in state tomorrow beneath the high domed state assembly chamber where politicians and plain folk, forgetting all party lines, will pay him homage.

Jordan, whose 29 year incumbency of office gave him a longer record of service than any other secretary of state, died late yesterday at the age of 79.

He entered Mercy Hospital New Year's Eve for a rest and examination, later underwent a bladder operation, and uremic poisoning, complicated by his advanced age and hardening of the arteries was more than his vitality could overcome.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. tomorrow in the assembly chambers. State Senator Herbert Slater of Santa Rosa, a lifelong friend, will deliver the official eulogy, while Rev. W. H. Hermitage, (Continued on page four)

## County Relief Is Favored

Senator Rich Sees Move  
As "Obvious Solution"  
Insuring Economy

MARYSVILLE, (UP) — State Senator W. P. Rich, Marysville, said today the obvious solution for what he termed "waste, inefficiency, sabotage, favoritism, chiseling and extravagance" in the State Relief Administration is to return relief to the counties.

"This would make the administrators of relief directly responsible to those who pay the bills—the taxpayers—with resultant economy and greater efficiency all around, and provide adequate help for the honest deserving," Rich said.

## SOCIAL SECURITY FAMILY BENEFITS NOW PAYABLE

Monthly benefits for surviving family relatives of a worker who dies—a feature of the social security act which became effective with the New Year—provide valuable family protection amounting in some instances to thousands of dollars. J. G. Bretherton, manager of the Sacramento office of the social security board, said yesterday.

Bretherton explained these benefits will be paid under the following conditions: (1) the worker must have died after midnight of December 31; (2) he must have been employed at jobs covered by the social security act in at least six calendar quarters within the past three years and earned at least \$50 in each of these calendar quarters and (3) the widow must have in her care a child or adopted child of the deceased worker who is under 18 years of age.

"These survivor benefits are generally less understood than the old-age insurance payments," Bretherton said, "but in terms of family security we consider them a highly important extension of the social security act. Forms for accepting claims for these survivor payments are available in the Sacramento office and after being properly filled out will be sent immediately to the social security board in Washington for approval."

Illustrating these payments, Bretherton said that if a worker, say 30 or 35 years of age, who had been employed the past three years at an average wage of \$150 per month should die leaving a widow and two children of ages 5 and 7, the federal treasury would pay a monthly check of \$23.18 to the widow and \$15.45 to each child.

He pointed out that the total to this family group would be \$54.08. If the average monthly wage had been \$100, instead of \$150, the widow and two children would have received \$45.06 in monthly benefits.

The widow's benefits continue until the youngest child is 18. If, however, she re-marries previous to that time, her benefits would be terminated, but payments to the children would continue to age 16, or eighteen if remaining in school. The maximum benefit to a family— (Continued on page four)



NEW PRESIDENT of the El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce is Swift Berry, of Camino, pictured at his desk at the offices of the Michigan-California Lumber Company, of which he is general manager. Mr. Berry is also president of the Western Pine Association and is a member of various civic and fraternal organizations. Picture by Sierra Photo Service.

## SALLA SECTOR MAY BE MAIN FINN-SOVIET BATTLEGROUND

Extreme Cold Doubles Hardships Of War On  
Northern Front; Finland Admits Russians  
Were Well Across Frontier But Have Retired

By JOE ALEX MORRIS  
United Press Foreign News Editor

Extreme cold across northern Europe, which continued in many of the areas today, doubled the hardships of war in both western Europe and Finland.

The Finns reported that the Russian armies driven back toward Salla on the north central front had managed this time to avoid death traps such as the Red soldiers fell into further south and had established strong positions at Markajarvi, 50 miles from the Russian border. The Finnish counter-thrust, aided by extremely low temperatures, had pushed the Russians back more than 30 miles from their point of greatest penetration toward the railroad head at Kemi.

Finnish announcements revealed the Russians had been in a much stronger position in the Kemi sector than the Finns had previously admitted officially. The Red army

## "BABES IN ARMS" OPENS SUNDAY ON EMPIRE SCREEN

"Here I Am, A Stranger," which opened Thursday at the Empire theater, closes tonight and will be followed by the Saturday feature, "North of the Yukon," with Charles Starrett and Phil Regan.

Sunday's bill, which will be shown for two days, has the feature "Babes in Arms," which stars Judy Garland and Mickey Rooney.

The picture is a musical comedy romance in which Mickey and Judy are supported by a wealth of youthful talent including Betty Jaynes, Douglas MacPhail, June Preisner, Lenni Lynn and Johnny Sheffield.

"Babes in Arms" tops the show for Sunday and Monday.

## Rains Raised Level Of Lake Tahoe 11 Inches

Charles Young, of Bijou, Lake Tahoe, who was a caller in the county seat Thursday, reported to friends that the two-week rains of the fore part of the month had resulted in raising the level of Lake Tahoe a total of eleven inches. As a result of the rains, he indicated, there is not the usual pack of snow at the south end of the lake.

## 25 Years Ago In The World War

By UNITED PRESS

Germany made first major Zepelin raid over England; attacked Yarmouth, Kings Lynn and other towns in Norfolk county. British force surrendered at Kasbin, East Africa.

## NEWS PERSONALS

W. T. Henderson, Chas. Does, of Diamond Springs, Don Hook and George Burrows, of Camino, and E. W. Zueger, J. P. Morton, of Placerville, all representing El Dorado District Boy Scouts of America were in Sacramento Wednesday night at a round-table meeting of Scouters of the Golden Empire Council.

H. N. Farrell was in town Thursday from Southern California.

Mrs. Ella Ayres left Friday for a visit with relatives at the Bay District.

High School Principal B. E. Larson is spending a few days at Berkeley.

Mrs. Roger Douvres is again able to take up her duties as bookkeeper at the American Laundry following an illness which confined her to the Placerville Sanatorium.

## SALLY'S SALLIES



## SENATOR BORAH NEAR DEATH

Physicians Abandon Hope  
As 74-Year-Old Idaho  
Solon Becomes Weaker

WASHINGTON, (UP) — Senate Democratic leader Alben W. Barkley told reporters at noon today that "it is only a question of hours" before the life of Senator William E. Borah, R., Ida., would end.

"There is no hope whatsoever," Barkley said. "The Senator is all but gone."

WASHINGTON (UP) — Sen. William E. Borah, R., Ida., was weakening today in his fight for life against the cerebral hemorrhage which struck him Tuesday morning.

Miss Cora Rubin, the 74 year old senator's secretary for more than 30 years, announced at 9:30 a. m. that the senator was growing weaker.

While there was little perceptible change in Borah's condition, he was losing strength. His physicians continued to reiterate that there was no hope for the veteran statesman's recovery.

"I do not know whether the senator has reached a crisis in his illness," Miss Rubin said. "All I can say is that he is very, very critically ill and growing weaker."

During the night there were no reports from Borah's bedside at which Mrs. Borah, known here as "Little Borah," waited for what appeared to be inevitable death.

The last bulletin, issued by Dr. Worth Daniels, Borah's personal physician, at 9:25 p. m., last night was that the veteran senator's condition was unchanged. He has had only a few minutes of unconsciousness since 1 p. m. yesterday afternoon, Daniels said.

Daniels believed then that death was only a matter of hours. Two nurses and a doctor were with Borah constantly. But no reports were given out at his home in an apartment house near Rock Creek Park where he was stricken.

## Publishers In 52nd Meeting

"Public Relations" Theme  
Of Annual Convention  
Closing On Saturday

CORONADO, (UP) — Hundreds of newspaper editors and executives came here today for the opening of the 52nd annual convention of the California Newspapers Association at the historic Hotel Del Coronado.

The convention theme—"Public relations, a primary problem of the press"—was expressed by William S. Kellogg, president, publisher of the Glendale News-Press, who is in charge of the two-day program of speeches, banquets, round table discussions and recreation.

Gov. Culbert Olson was one of the speakers on the opening program this afternoon, following presentation of awards to newspapers.

Other speakers were Dr. John E. Brown, president of John Brown University of Arkansas; Dan E. Clark II, fellow in journalism, at Stanford University; Roy L. Litchfield, San Francisco Call-Bulletin advertising manager; Harwin T. Mann, media manager of Lord & Thomas Advertising Agency, Los Angeles; and Floyd Sparks, sales manager of West-Holiday Co., Inc., San Francisco.

The family dinner tonight will feature the theme address on public relations by Lee A. White, public relations director of the Detroit News, an associate editor of The Quill magazine.

## Auto Crash Damage Case Under Adjudement

Judge George H. Thompson has under advisement the evidence in an action resulting from a collision of their cars, in which Katherine Coleridge is plaintiff and cross-defendant, and Joseph H. Bender is defendant and cross-plaintiff.

The issues result from an auto crash on Christmas Day of 1938 on the Pleasant Valley road.

C. E. Barker left Thursday afternoon for Coronado to spend the weekend attending the annual convention of the California Newspaper Publishers' Association. Mr. Barker during the past year has been a member of the association advisory committee.



## Church News

### FEDERATED CHURCH H. G. Morehouse

Sunday, Jan. 21, 1940.  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School Lesson: A New Standard of Greatness. Matthew 20.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.—Theme: The Holiness of Speech.—"Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will hold him guiltless who taketh his name in vain."  
4:00 p. m. The pastor will exchange services with Rev. Rex Barron. Mr. Barron will preach and conduct the service at Georgetown and Mr. Morehouse at Coloma.  
6:30 p. m. High School Society meeting. Topic: What it Means to Pray and Read the Bible. Leader: Harlan Hall.

### CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR (EPISCOPAL) Rev. Rex A. Barron

Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Morning Prayer 11 a. m.  
Y. P. F. 7:30 p. m.  
Service at Coloma, 3 p. m.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Placerville, Bedford Avenue at Union Street.  
Services, 11 a. m. Sunday School 3:30 a. m. Wednesday evening Testimonial Meeting 8 p. m.  
The reading room at the church building is open Tuesday and Friday from 2 o'clock until 4 o'clock.  
"Life" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday, January 21, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist.

ist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Golden Text will be: "This is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son" (1 John 5: 11). Other Bible citations will include: "How excellent is thy lovingkindness, O God! therefore the children of men put their trust under the shadow of thy wings. They shall be abundantly satisfied with the fatness of thy house; and thou shalt make them drink of the river of thy pleasures. For with thee is the fountain of life: in thy light shall we see light" (Ps. 36: 7-9).

The Lesson-Sermon will also include the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Life is, always has been, and ever will be independent of matter; for Life is God, and man is the idea of God, not formed materially

but spiritually, and not subject to decay and dust." (p. 200).

### CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Sunday, January 21.  
L. D. S. Sunday School. I. O. O. F. Hall, Placerville.  
9:45 a. m. Officers and Teachers Prayer meeting.  
10 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:15 a. m. Sacramento Service.  
10:30 a. m. Two 2 1/2 minute talks. Speakers from Gospel Doctrine Class, Iva Miller and Marjorie Leavitt.  
10:35 a. m. Singing practice.  
10:45 a. m. Division of classes—Gospel Doctrine, Clyde Curtis, teacher; Old Testament "A," John Fox, teacher; Old Testament "B," Bruce M. Heggie, teacher; Primary, Dorothy Fox, teacher; Kindergarten, Marjorie Leavitt and Lela Vaught, teachers.  
11:30 a. m. Re-assembly—Closing exercises.

11:45 a. m. Priesthood meeting.  
6:30 p. m. Opening song and prayer.  
6:40 p. m. Sacramento Service.  
7:00 p. m. Sermons.

### LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services will be held by the Lutheran Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall on Main Street, Placerville. Rev. Carl Fickenscher, Lutheran pastor from Sacramento, will be in charge of the service. He will speak on the topic, "Not By Our Works, But Alone By Grace Are We Saved." Oscar Mueller, Sacramento church organist, will accompany the congregational singing.  
Before the service and beginning at 2 p. m. a Sunday school period will take place. The public is cordially invited to attend these services and also to tune in on the Lutheran Radio Hour which is heard in this area every Sunday at 1:30 p. m. from KFRC.

### CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's church on the first Sunday in each month at 8 o'clock and at 10 o'clock. Mass on the other Sundays at 8.

### LOTUS NOTES

Mrs. Irma Lawyer and Mrs. Florence Hines attended the Eagles card party in Placerville Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Harry Reaside and Miss Helen Reaside attended the card party given by the Guild ladies of the Episcopal Church on Friday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Lottie Galleher drove to Placerville last Friday morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bacchi are spending a few days at Perkins, with the Davis family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmet, of near Georgetown, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rice on Saturday.

Henry Bacchi, George Luneman, Mrs. Irma Lawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reaside, and Miss Helen Reaside drove to Garden Valley Friday evening and enjoyed the whist party given by Marshall Grange, although all came home sans prize.

Rev. and Mrs. Rex Barron and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Simon were dinner guests at the Reaside home on Saturday evening.

Raymond Lawyer was among the guests who joined a dinner at the Andrew Marshall home in honor of their son, Gene, who was home for a week during college vacation.

The various ladies of Lotus are planning to lend their aid in making the 49 Dance on Saturday night a success by furnishing home made cakes and a good supper.

After two weeks of rain the storm has let up for a time and is now followed by cold frosty mornings. On Thursday last week we had two cloudbursts, one at 11 a. m. and the other at 2 p. m., which lasted for 20 minutes or more for each of them, flooding all yards and roads but no serious damage was done. This month there has been more rain than for some years past for the month of January. Last year the month of February, 1939, was a very wet month, raining all the time and lots of water fell.

Our friend, Mrs. Gertrude Mynstel, has been laid up for the past week or more with an attack of poison oak together with the hives and is under the care of Drs. Reckers and Soracco. Joe Hansen takes the lady over to Placerville to see the doctors daily and at this writing we are pleased to say Mrs. Mynstel is doing very nicely and will soon be back to herself again. And we are sure that she will not handle poison oak again.

Clyde Thayer, who underwent an operation at the Sutter Hospital in Sacramento some three weeks ago, has returned to his home near here and we are pleased to say he is getting along fine and will soon be himself again and ready to go back

to work.  
Big preparations are under way by the Lotus, Coloma and Granite Hill ladies for the large 49 dance at Coloma this coming Saturday night and a large crowd with good weather is expected.

Tom Bayne, wife and family came up from their Sacramento home on Sunday and spent the afternoon calling on their friends, more so Mr. and Mrs. George Pontious, of Coloma, Mrs. Ida Pontious being an aunt of Mrs. Bayne. Tom is a native son, born near the historic town of Coloma.

Al Herzig, Jr. and wife and two children came over from Placerville Sunday afternoon and visited at the home of George Pontious and also with Al's father and his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herzig, Sr.

Gerald Rasmussen with his wife and baby daughter, Nancy, and his mother, Mrs. Mary Rasmussen, and Gerald's aunt, Miss Jo Beckman, took advantage of the nice afternoon Sunday and came over from their Placerville homes and spent a few hours visiting at the Rasmussen home with Gerald's Uncle Charlie, returning back to their homes about 5:30 p. m.

We learn that a Mr. Whiting, of Davis, has purchased the Lotus Oaks resort and will soon open the resort which has been closed for the past few weeks. Success to Mr. Whiting.

Clarence Tidd and wife of the 5-Mile Terrace were in our town on Sunday afternoon visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lawyer, parents of Mrs. Tidd.

George Luneman passed through our town Sunday with a large load of lumber which he purchased from the Greenwood Lumber Company.

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Everyone wants to know what George is now going to build.

Carl Tidd and wife, of Springvale district, were up to Coloma last Sunday visiting with John McCutcheon and wife, Mrs. McCutcheon being their daughter.

Ray Lawyer spent the weekend visiting with his best girl in Sacramento.

Owing to the high water in the river the past week the two large dredgers on the river still kept on with their work.

Mrs. Clarence Hines and Mrs. Irma Lawyer made a business and pleasure trip to the county seat on Thursday of last week, notwithstanding the heavy rains.

Wm. Hodge, of Florida, arrived here recently and intends to spend some time in our town. He is a guest at the Lawyer home.

Charlie Rice and wife observed their thirtieth wedding anniversary Friday.

Miss Wilma Potter is visiting for a time with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Grother. We learn that her parents, Wm. Potter and wife, of the Four Corners are moving into the Dan Akin home near Granite Hill and Wilma is visiting with her friend, Miss Billie Grother here while her parents are moving from the Four Corners ranch to Granite Hill.

# "More Than Love"

by LEWIS ALLEN BROWNE

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### CHAPTER I

Leland Forbes, author of standard books on bird life, sat comfortably behind a Virginia rail fence, watching a hermit thrush.

Suddenly Forbes swung his hat and said, "Shoo-o-o-o!" Naturally the bird "shooed" with alacrity. Forbes made some notes.

"Oh!" cried a feminine voice. "Of all the mean things to do!"

Forbes was as startled as the thrush he had frightened away. A girl had come to the other side of the fence and was staring angrily at him—an unusually pretty girl.

"I beg your pardon," Forbes stammered.

"What good does begging my pardon do now. I would like to know!"

There was a hint of tears in her pretty eyes—tears of anger.

"It is quite the thing to do, isn't it?" Forbes asked. He had always been diffident in the company of girls and now he wished he were well away from there.

"If you are trying to be funny, you have a sad sense of humor," the girl declared, eyeing him much as a school-teacher would eye a naughty scholar. "I repeat that it was a mean thing to do."

"Mean? How so? I did not injure the merulidae in the least."

Forbes tried to speak sharply, as though he refused to be scolded. The girl seemed suddenly amused.

"You know the family, then?" she asked.

"I never met you before," Forbes said coldly. "Certainly I don't know your family."

"There is no need for you to be fresh—insolent. You know very well that I referred to the thrush family. You called it by its family name."

Forbes was surprised at this and eyed the pretty girl sharply.

"So you know the name? You see, I often think of birds by their family names. I meant to say the thrush family and I wasn't trying to be fresh. I haven't sufficient interest in—ladies of any age to attempt freshness."

"Then why were you so mean as to shoot the bird away just as I was trying to get a picture?"

Leland Forbes stepped up to the fence, then, and looked over. Here was another surprise for him—a camera set up on a tripod and half hidden with the branch of a bush. Down the road a car was parked.

"I have been trying and trying," the girl said as he stared at the camera, "to get a good picture of a hermit thrush and you go and spoil it!"

"Why—why—do you think I knew that you were here, much less, trying to get a picture?" Forbes was becoming embarrassed.

"It looked like the trick of some smart aleck. You were probably watching me through the fence."

"Listen, young lady," Forbes said, sternly, "I wanted to watch his leg and wing action when he took off. I did not know you were there. I repeat, I wouldn't have frightened the bird for worlds if I knew you were interested in the art of photographing our birds. I am sorry."

The girl eyed him suspiciously for a moment. She liked his appearance, his Irish brunet type, dark wavy hair and blue eyes. She liked the little touches of silver in his hair at the sides.

"It isn't a bad, unless earning my bread and butter is a bad. I photograph birds and make colored plates—drawings."

"Then you have a right to be angry, under a mistaken idea that I was teasing you. What do you do with your photographs and colored drawings?"

"Sell them. Maxin & Company buy them, but you wouldn't know them—they are publishers. Just now I am getting illustrations for another of Leland Forbes' books on bird life, but I suppose that doesn't mean anything to you, either. However, I accept your apology and offer one myself, for scolding you."

Leland Forbes climbed the rail fence and stood before her, hat in hand.

"Forgive me, Miss Morse," he said.

The girl backed away and eyed him in amazement.

"Oh, you probably got my name from the Boyd Hotel register."

He shook his head and smiled.

"I'll tell you what I will do. I will see that you get a good picture of a hermit thrush, and more, I will take you over to Leland Forbes' place and make him invite you to tea."



"I never met you before," Forbes said, coldly. "Certainly I don't know your family."

"You know Mr. Forbes, then?"

"Quite well."

Miss Jeanette Morse stared at him a moment.

"Oh!" she exclaimed and her cheeks turned redder. "You used the name 'merulidae.' Only an ornithologist would do that. Say, are you Leland Forbes?"

"Don't hold it against me," he said.

"Oh, for goodness sake—and I scolded you!"

"How about the invitation to tea? I've often wondered what sort of a person this J. Morse was who illustrated my books. I thought it was probably some anaemic old dodger named John."

"But Mr. Forbes, I was told, lives in Connecticut."

"I was born there, have a place there, but I also have a place here in the outskirts of Wytheville. Bird life is plentiful here in Spring and Fall."

"I'm delighted and embarrassed, Mr. Forbes."

He took down her camera and went to her car, standing on the running board.

"It's only a quarter of a mile," he said and then, as they reached a sycamore shaded driveway, he told her to drive in.

The house was small, good colonial and surrounded by beautiful trees and flowering shrubs. An old colored man came out and seemed surprised to behold Forbes with a young lady.

"Set tea things on the west porch, Morse," Forbes ordered, and sent Violet in.

He took Miss Morse into the handsome old library and she smiled as "Violet" entered, for Violet was the wife of Morse, very dark and very fat and very smiling.

"Take Miss Morse up to the guest room," he ordered.

A little later they were having tea on the west porch. Beaten biscuits, wild honey and then fried chicken.

Wistaria made a colorful and sweet scene, as Forbes and Jeanette looked at the beautiful lawn and flowers, bird baths, a handsome English setter and mulberry trees dripping with fruit and alive with birds after it.

"I want to gush," Jeanette said. "No—not permitted. Dislike gushers."

"I'm still blushing over scolding you."

"A regular bawling out. I rather like you for it, it shows spirit."

They discussed "shop" then, about his books and her illustrations.

purty yaller-haired doll cool as yo' please!"

"Naw," old Morse disputed, "hit ain't th' beatnest. Purty gals always gits them a man when they sets out, an' from what I seen she's set out, an' he's in a so't of trance over her."

There was a great deal of truth in what Morse said.

The afternoon passed rapidly. Forbes showed Jeanette some of his chapters and she told him of the illustrations she had already made for his new book. Forbes always sent to his publishers a list of illustrations necessary.

He suggested that she leave her car and camera at his place and he would take her to the hotel, calling for her the next morning early.

"The birds are out at five, you know."

"Not this bird," Jeanette assured him; "eight will do."

He got her at eight. They secured three good pictures of the hermit thrush and a joyed another luncheon on his west porch. They were calling each other "Leland" and "Jeanette."

When Jeanette awoke the next morning she stood at the open window, staring out at the water-gullied side of Boyd's hill and watching the red cedar birds.

She was very happy and began to sing about the day being at the moment and the morn being at seven, not omitting the lark and dew-pearled hillside.

"God's in His Heaven—All's right with the world."

And it was all right then, for Jeanette had fallen madly in love with Leland Forbes.

More than that, being a girl of cleverness and astuteness, she knew well enough that Leland Forbes was deeply interested in her and that, aside from his interest in her work, there was a romantic interest over-shadowing everything else.

Days sped rapidly. Jeanette sent many pictures up to New York to Maxin & Company, but she did not mention to Mr. Maxin that she was down in Virginia with Mr. Forbes himself.

Leland Forbes was quite as happy as Jeanette and more amazed. That he would ever become the least interested in any woman was beyond his belief.

That he would fall suddenly and sincerely in love, all in a few days, seemed an impossibility even then, when he knew that it was true.

He pictured an ideal life with Jeanette Morse—if he could prevail upon her to marry him. He would go on and on writing his profitable volumes about bird life, she would go on making photographs and drawings to illustrate them—and life would be ideal.

More happy days went by. Old Morse cleaned and pressed his black suit to look nice while serving

luncheons and Violet struggled gloriously to prove that she was a marvelous cook.

One morning Forbes, meeting Jeanette at the hotel as usual, suggested a picnic.

"We'll go up to Chimney Rock. I suppose there are plenty Chimney Rocks—each of the Carolinas have one—but this one here is beautiful."

"I'll go anywhere you say, Leland," Jeanette told him. He looked at her.

"We will discuss that at length a little later, my dear," he said, and Jeanette knew well enough that wherever Chimney Rock might be, it was there that Leland would propose.

"What birds today?" she asked.

"Love birds."

They drove up and around the climbing, winding road until they could go no further in the car. Leland took the hamper and they made the top foot.

"What scenery!" Jeanette exclaimed, honestly enraptured by the view down the valley where Reed Creek wound in and out and flat bottom lands broke into sharp ledges.

"The most beautiful scenery in the world," Leland assured her. She glanced down at him and he was staring at her.

"Look!" she said, pointing to the hamlet of Kent's Mills and beyond the town of Wytheville.

"I am looking with all my eyes."

He was, but he was looking at her.

"I mean the scenery, Leland."

He continued to stare at her.

"Am I the scenery, Leland?" she asked.

"You are all the scenery I wish to see for the rest of my life, Jeanette—you are all the world to me, dear. How can I let you go?"

"Do you have to?" she asked, softly.

Afterwards she declared that the words just came out involuntarily.

"I shall never let you go, dearest."

On the way home they planned for an early marriage. Forbes left Jeanette at her hotel and was singing all the way back to his home. When he got there Morse brought the mail that had been left outside.

Forbes recognized the handwriting on one letter and a little frown of anxiety came to his face as he ripped open the envelope and read: "Life is unbearable, Leland. You will have to come. I cannot go on without you."

"LOLA."

And Leland Forbes knew that he would have to go!

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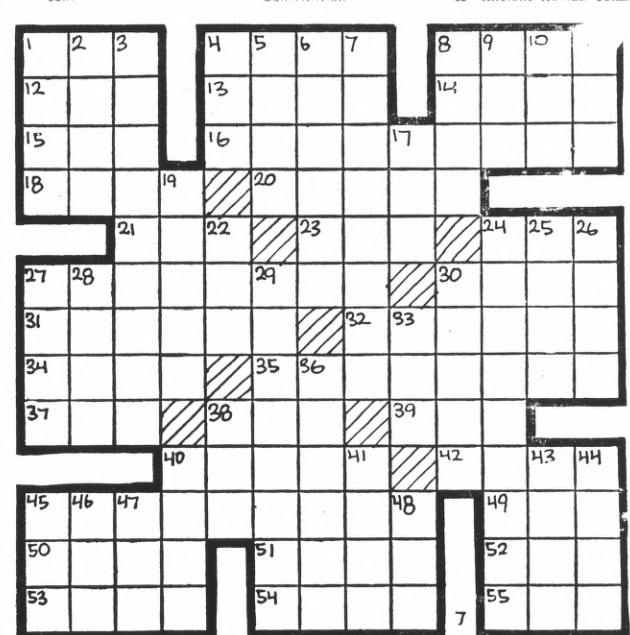
What dire thing has come into this almost perfect romance? What will be the result? Do not miss the next instalment.

## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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|------------------------------------|--|
| ACROSS                             | DOWN   |
| 1—Insane                           | 1—Written in verse                               |
| 2—Devil's helpers                  | 2—More exacting                                  |
| 3—Make dyes                        | 3—Drunkards                                      |
| 4—Diminutive suffix                | 4—River in Siberia                               |
| 5—Sound of whistle                 | 5—Electricity article                            |
| 6—Musical instrument               | 6—Support for chair                              |
| 7—Textile fabric                   | 7—Metric measure                                 |
| 8—Controlling motion of            | 8—Strike with feet                               |
| 9—Antelope                         | 9—Brazilian bird                                 |
| 10—Class of Japanese               | 10—Fighting roosters                             |
| 11—Congealed blood                 | 11—One who mimics                                |
| 12—Open space                      | 12—Good friend (col.)                            |
| 13—Heavy downpour                  | 13—Ready available money                         |
| 14—California county               | 14—Opening bet in poker                          |
| 15—Time of living creature         | 15—One of Channel Islands                        |
| 16—Hard tooth covering             | 16—Pertaining to sea forces                      |
| 17—Hinder                          | 17—Of no account                                 |
| 18—Those who obtain                | 18—Full  |
| 19—Adult males                     | 19—Expression of complete agreement              |
| 20—Incontinent of certain vintages | 20—Combination of hydrogen with negative radical |
| 21—Great artery                    | 21—Carver's fastening device                     |
| 22—All by himself                  | 22—Edward  |
| 23—Musical instrument              | 23—On side away from wind                        |
| 24—Contemptible fellow (col.)      | 24—Entire exhaustion                             |
| 25—Species of plant                | 25—Father of Japanese Constitution               |
| 26—New York State canal            |  |
| 27—Immature person (col.)          |  |



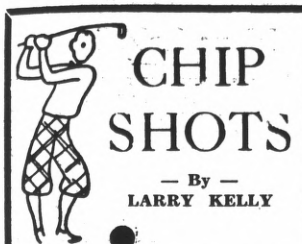
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When last Sunday evening rolled around at the "post mortems" began, it was the old story of "if" among those who spent the day at the Placerville Golf Course.

"If" I had done this, or "if" I hadn't done that, and so on.

There seems to be a little mix-up as to the rightful name of the lake on Number Six.

"Well, one thing I didn't do," says Joe Hearn, "as bad as I played, I didn't go into Lake Perry."

And Perry Tracy comes back with:

"I shot bogeys and buzzards on every hole, but I didn't go into Lake Hearn."

So now the battle is on.

It would take all of the so-called diplomats in England, France, Germany and the U. S. A. to settle the question and rather than risk the time, it has been decided that a golf match be arranged so it can be decided on the course. Which may be a good idea for the rest of the world.

The Lions were out in a big way to qualify for their intra-club tournament. The course being rather damp and a frosty Saturday night made playing conditions rather tough and scores were not as low as usual. But next Sunday, when the match play begins, will be a different story.

The new Placerville Golf Club is growing by leaps and bounds and is sure to be able to boast of one hundred members by February 1st, so we'll steal a little of San Francisco's thunder and offer a toast to Placerville — the city that knows how.

#### NOTICE TO FAIR PREMIUM CHECK HOLDERS

Complying with State regulations, the El Dorado County Fair Board gives notice that all outstanding premium checks issued in connection with the 1939 fair, must be cashed on or before Tuesday, January 30th or they are subject to cancellation.

#### SIGNED:

El Dorado County Fair Assn.  
GEORGE E. FAUGSTED  
Chairman of the Board, j183t



Dolly Thon, a Merriel Abbott dancer now appearing at the Bal Tabarin in San Francisco, inspects and approves the new 1940 General Electric Refrigerator, now being shown at the Sportsman's Shop.

#### GRANGE NOTES

##### Pilot Hill

Pilot Hill Grange No. 1 held their regular meeting Saturday, January 13th, with all new officers in their chairs. The new pass word was given. We received an invitation from Marshall Grange to attend their meeting Friday, January 26th. Treasurer's report was given. After the meeting cake and coffee was served.

##### Pleasant Valley

The basket social which was to have been held January 20th, has been postponed until further notice.

Mrs. Alida Avansino, publicity chairman.

The Pomona Home Economics Club meets Thursday, January 25th, with Mrs. Carl Visman. This is the first meeting of the year and all members are requested to be present. Each lady is requested to bring one dish toward the potluck lunch. The meeting will open at ten o'clock in the morning and continue through the day. Grange ladies are reminded that they are all members of the Pomona Home Economics Club.

#### CAMINO NOTES

Camino school re-opened January 8th. No snow had fallen but lots of rain. Ninety-six pupils were present, several being absent due to illness. Vina Feagan, Joyce Coltrane and Howard Coltrane have been transferred to Pollock Pines, having moved from Camino to their new home near Kyburz.

Mr. and Mrs. C. De Vine and family have moved to their new home at Mt. Danaher.

Mrs. C. De Vine, president of the Parent-Teachers, conducted the meeting last Friday afternoon at the school auditorium which instituted plans for a Founders Day tea to be held at our next meeting in mid-February. Fourteen members were present. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. John Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Potts and son spent Saturday at Fair Oaks with Mr. Potts' mother and sister, Mrs. Raymond Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bly of Sacramento spent the weekend here at their summer home.

Grant M. Casselman from Williamsburg, Ontario, Canada, has been visiting his nephew, G. G. Merkley, at the A. B. Crocker home this week. Mr. Casselman told some very interesting stories about the famous Dr. Locke, who has been his life-long friend, family doctor and neighbor. He also told that there was a foot of snow in Williamsburg when he left there Jan. 3rd, and the thermometer 12 degrees below zero.

L. W. Loomis, of El Dorado, was transacting business here and at the Five-Mile Terrace Tuesday morning.

We will again find another story "The Ambassador," written by Captain Wilbur Ross, of Camino Heights, in the February Blue Book.

Mrs. E. Ybright and Mrs. C. Ross spent Sunday in Plymouth with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hupp, Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Thomas, Joanne Thomas and Fred Fisher were in the county seat on Saturday.

Percy Phelps has returned to Phillips Station after spending a week here with his mother and sister, Mrs. K. Night and Miss Myrtle. Among those in Sacramento the latter part of last week were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross, and Mrs. Paul Savage.

John B. Gardella and C. De Vine were in the county seat on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Elmer Bicking entertained the Camino Bridge Club at her home Thursday afternoon of last week. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Henry Cullers, Mrs. Al De Bernardi, and to Mrs. Howard Cullers.

Mrs. K. Phelps, Mrs. W. Zernay and Miss Myrtle Phelps were in Sacramento Monday.

George Davenport was a visitor in Sacramento Wednesday.

C. Barker was seen on our streets Tuesday morning.

Remember to THINK wooden boxes, TALK WOODEN boxes, and USE wooden boxes.

#### YOUNGS NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gainer and Fred Wentz went to Madera on Thursday of last week, returning home on Tuesday. Mrs. Gainer has property and also a sister at Madera where she and Mr. Gainer stayed. Fred Wentz stayed with his aunt and cousin, Mrs. Loretta Johns and son, Stanley.

Mrs. Geo. Toland, of San Francisco, and Mrs. Pearl Godfrey and daughter, Charlotte, of Tacoma, Wash., were visiting Mrs. Grace Clark over the weekend. Mrs. Godfrey brought Jack Gibbs home after spending since Xmas with his aunt, Mrs. Godfrey, at Tacoma.

Quite a number in our vicinity have been in bed with severe colds. Monte Reynolds and lady friend and Martha Reynolds and daughters, Ruth and Ellen, were visiting with Bessie Wentz on Saturday at the Wentz home.

#### COLOMA

The Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges here had joint installation ceremonies Tuesday evening. A large crowd was in attendance.

Jack Graves, a former Coloma resident, was over from Grass Valley Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Lydell are the proud parents of a baby boy, Richard Wayne, born last Friday, Jan. 12th at Placerville Sanatorium.

Miss A. H. Vernon left for San Francisco Monday concluding an extended visit with her brother and sister here.

Frank Amstalden and George Winje went down to Stockton on Wednesday where Frank will visit his sister, Mrs. Kate Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thomas, of Camino, visited relatives here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huston were in Sacramento on business last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bayne of Sacramento were in Coloma Sunday visiting relatives.

Telephone service was disrupted Sunday for several hours owing to a telephone pole falling near the schoolhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Rutman have been confined to their home the past week by a severe attack of

flu which has been quite prevalent here.

Mrs. J. Gregory, a recent Coloma resident, was bitten by a vicious dog on both forearms Monday at the Lotus store where she had gone for supplies. She was taken at once to Placerville for treatment.

#### GOLD HILL NOTES

The county school nurse, Mrs. Byrnes was at the Gold Hill school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Potter and family have rented Mrs. Dan Akin's house and are moving in this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCants and

son, of Guinda, Yolo county, were guests of Frances Hancock Sunday.

The Home Economics Club of the Grange was to meet Thursday with Mrs. Alvin Marchini.

Mrs. Maurice Veerkamp and Mrs. Bill Ashman were in Sacramento Friday.



WANT ADS ARE EFFECTIVE

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Carton

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GALLON — **79¢**  
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(Bring Container)

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WANT ADS ARE NEWS



## Sports Parade

By HENRY McLEMORE

LOS ANGELES, (UP)—As an old hand at the wall expert it is my guess that the recent freeing of 91 baseball serfs by Judge Kenesaw Mountain Landis will eventually prove to be the first step toward a general releasing from bondage of all baseball players.

You know, of course, that baseball players are the nearest things we have to slaves in this country. They don't reach their owners in clanking chains, after a hot and dismal crossing in the hold of a ship, but once delivered they become vassals of their masters and can be traded and sold about as if they were dumb animals. The fact that some of them ARE dumb animals doesn't alter the unfairness of their treatment.

I have no doubt but that some of the free-thinkers among the players will seek means to capitalize on the not quite week old edict of Judge Landis. They are certain to see it as the first exposure of a chink in the armour of the owners and attempt to do something about

it. They also will draw courage and confidence from the fact that baseball's highest power is interested in seeing to it that the players get an even break from the operating powers.

I never have seen a standard baseball contract (few laymen ever have, for that matter) but from what I can gather it must be more binding than a trunkful of mustard plasters, and as hard to break as a Mississippi roustabout's skull. It must be a one-sided instrument, too, as one-sided as a blackboard, because I never heard of a player who had any success, marked or otherwise, in trying to release himself from its clutches.

Once a player signs with a club that club has him at its mercy. It can sell him to the Pigeon Toe team in upper Arkansas if it wants to, or it can trade him for a smoked ham and a grandfather's clock to the last place team in the Twilight League of Scratch Ankle, Georgia. Or, if the fancy strikes the owners, the player can be given a soft spot on the bench and told to sit there until ivy begins twining itself about his legs.

If the player rebels against any of

these or a dozen other measures, his rebellion will be every bit as effective as a fire alarm in a home for the deaf. A show of spirit often results in a slash of salary and if a player resents this to the point of holding out he is often marked with baseball's equivalent of the bar sinister and then he is welcome nowhere. A team could offer a star player \$500 for the season and the player would have to take it or quit baseball. He couldn't refuse it and sell his services to a higher bidder. As most baseball players are not capable of adapting themselves to another profession, they have to take what is offered them or retire, and this is cutting off the nose to spite the face in most instances, they take what is given them.

I have often heard arguments as to whether baseball contracts would stand the scrutiny of a court. One school says yes, another says no. As a man whose knowledge of the law is limited to the penalty for parking by fire plugs and smoking in any but the last four rows of buses, I would not like to express an opinion. But don't be surprised if Judge Landis' ruling doesn't prompt some baseball player to try to find out.

## Jordan Rites On Saturday

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Sacramento Episcopal minister, will conduct the religious service.

Jordan was a lifelong Republican. Gov. Culbert L. Olson, a Democrat, in praising Jordan for conducting the "office of the open door," commented that partisan politics never entered his office or his service to the people of California. The Governor will cut short a trip to San Diego tonight to return for the funeral.

He ordered an unofficial holiday for all state employees, lacking the power until Jordan's successor is appointed, to proclaim it officially. Jordan, who first was elected to the office of secretary of state in 1910, was in a coma for several hours before death. Not even Gov. Olson had been permitted to see him, although he made several trips to the hospital.

Attorney General Earl Warren ruled that no official business could be conducted by Jordan's office until the successor is named. His assistants had operated in his name during the weeks of his inactivity, and that constitutional power now has been removed.

Jordan's term would have expired Dec. 31, 1942. It was speculated that Gov. Olson might choose one of Jordan's two sons, both Republicans, to succeed him. Robert V. Jordan is assistant secretary of state, Frank M. Jordan is deputy secretary.

## FIVE MILE TERRACE

Everyone is enjoying the bright, sunny weather after the long rainy spell. There has been a heavy frost each night since the weather cleared on Friday.

B. W. Overton left on Monday afternoon for Omaha, Nebraska, where his mother is critically ill. He expects to return in about two weeks.

Stanley Woodbridge, who has been ill the past week, was able to return to his classes at high school on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Hines, Mrs. Archie King, 6:30 Music Concert; 6:45 Stan Meyers.

KSFO—Professor Quiz; 6:30 First Nighter.

KPO—Waltz Time; 6:30 Announced.

KGO—Plantation Party; 6:30 Congress Concert; 6:45 Treasure Island.

KFRK—Shafter Parker; 6:15 Smilin' Jack; 6:30 News; 6:45, Paging the Past.

7 to 8 p. m. KFBK—MacGregor and Preston; 7:15 Fish Hawk; 7:30 President Roosevelt.

KROY—Ski Club of the Air; 7:15 Orchestra; 7:30 Spotlight Parade; 7:45 See KFBK.

KSFO—Grand Central Station; 7:30 See KFBK.

KPO—Guy Lombardo Orch.; 7:30 See KFBK.

KGO—Announced; 7:30 See KFBK.

KFRK—Snow Sports; 7:30 Announced; 7:30 John Steele; 7:30 See KFBK.

8 to 9 p. m. KFBK—Fred Waring; 8:15 Meet the Missus; 8:30 Richard Himber.

KROY—Chester Gay; 8:15 Serenaders; 8:30 Spotlight; 8:45 Pinky Tomlin.

KSFO—Amos and Andy; 8:15 Lum and Abner; 8:30 Johnny Presnents.

KPO—Fred Waring; 8:15 Mystery; 8:30 Death Valley Days.

KGO—The Buckaroos; 8:30, Richard Himber.

KFRK—Lone Ranger; 8:30 Answer Game.

9 to 10 p. m. KFBK—Political; 9:15 Orchestra; 9:30 The University Explorer; 9:45 Music by Woodbury.

KROY—Bill Robert; 9:15 Orchestra; 9:30 Segar Ellis; 9:45 Anson Weeks.

KSFO—Kate Smith.

KPO—London Letters; 9:15, Explorer; 9:45 By Woodbury.

KGO—Snow Sports Program; 9:30 Interview; 9:45 Jacy Avison.

KFRK—News; 9:15 Barbers; 9:30 Muzzy Marcellino; 9:45 Chamber of Commerce.

10 to 11 p. m. KFBK—Announced; 10:15 Orch.; 10:30 Bill McDonald.

KROY—Jimmie Walsh; 10:15 Dance; 10:45 Nightcap Yarns.

KSFO—Paul Sullivan; 10:15 Harry Owens; 10:45 Nightcap Yarns.

KPO—News; 10:15 Concert; 10:30 Ray Noble.

KGO—Freddie Martin; 10:30 Bill McDonald.

KFRK—Jimmy Walsh; 10:30 Fulton Lewis, Jr.; 10:45 Garwood Van.

11 p. m. to midnight KFBK—Gary Nottingham; 11:30 Archie Loveland; 11:45 News.

KROY—Vincent Lopez Orch.; 11:30 Manny Strand.

KSFO—Orchestra; 11:30 Archie Bleyer.

KPO—See KFBK; 11:30 Archie Loveland.

KGO—News; 11:15 News; 11:45 Organ.

KFRK—News; 11:05 Rhythm 11:15 Sterling Young; 11:30 Ken Baker.

Midnight to 1 a. m. KROY—Midnight Revue.

KSFO—News; 12:05 Sign Off.

## SOCIAL SECURITY FAMILY BENEFITS NOW PAYABLE

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ily group is reached when there is a surviving widow with three children. At the top of the scale a widow and three children of a deceased worker who has averaged \$250 per month at jobs covered by the social security act during the past three years would receive \$82.40 per month.

Applications for survivor benefits from residents of Sacramento, Amador, El Dorado, Placer, Nevada, Yuba, Alpine, Butte, Sutter, Yolo, Colusa, and Glenn counties should be addressed to the social security board, Old Post Office Building, Sacramento, California.

## RESCUE

This vicinity was thoroughly drenched by very heavy rains on Monday evening and Tuesday morning of last week. The creeks were all overflowing their banks, causing damage to fences.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Engesser were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayhew at Clarksville on Sunday last. It was the occasion of Mr. Mayhew's seventy-third birthday. Several other relatives and guests were present.

United Rescue Grange held their election of officers at a regular meeting held December 28th. The following were elected for the ensuing year: Master, Fred Mayhew; Overseer, Clyde Hodgkins; Lecturer, Mrs. Pearl Wing; Steward, Edward Coval; Assistant Steward, Geo. Townsend; Chaplain, Laverne Hodgkin; Treasurer, Mrs. Estella Bullard; Secretary, Mrs. Emma Hodgkin; Gate Keeper, Mr. Osborne; Ceres, Mrs. Julia Mayhew; Pomona, Mrs. Lottie Kyburz; Flora, Mrs. Mary Dormody; Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs. Myrtle Glass; Executive Committee; Geo. B. Wing. Refreshments of salad, cake and coffee were enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pelton, of San Leandro, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wing, of Placerville, were recent weekend visitors at the Geo. Wing ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fehnmann of Placerville entertained at a dinner given at their home on Bedford Avenue on Sunday evening, January 7th. The following guests were present.

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## MISSOURI FLAT

Friday night there was a special meeting of the Thespian Club, but very few were able to attend because of the storm—so we were unable to select a complete cast for "The Columbine Club." Please, you girls who are anxious to make our club a success, won't you call either Dr. C. C. Long or Marie Miller?

Mr. and Mrs. George Drennon, of Sacramento, were callers at the A. L. Miller home Saturday afternoon. John H. Snyder, a former resident of Missouri Flat, passed away suddenly at his home in Carmichael Colony, Sacramento, on Saturday, January 13th. Mr. Snyder had been in ill health for some time. The Snyders lived for many years in this district, and made many friends who extend their sincere sympathy to the bereaved family. Mr. Snyder leaves his wife, Mrs. Alta Snyder, and two sons, Leonard and Leroy.

Frances Speegle has been busy the past week baking and delivering pies and doughnuts—and does she make good apple pies! Mrs. H. E. Hollenbeck and son Bobby, of Placerville, and Mrs. Dick Scheller, of Lodi, were callers at the James Sweeney home on Sunday.

Frank Drennon who has been ill with a severe case of tonsillitis for several days, is out and about again. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Meyers, of Placerville, were callers at the Miller home Tuesday.

Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of J. H. Snyder on Tuesday in Sacramento. Among them were, Mrs. Mary Cook, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Miller, Frank Miller and Mrs. H. J. Hammond.

We dance again on Saturday night, January 20th, to Vic Parker's orchestra. Sonny Gibbs went to San Francisco one day this week taking a truck down for Jack Hocking, of Redwood City.

O. N. Clark is hauling lumber to the Aukum school house, for their new wood shed.

## Recorder's Filings

January 17, 1940

Trustees deed Corporation of Americas to Oliver P. Sexton and Lula L. Sexton.

Location notice, Humberger, by Hugh Mott.

Notice of non-responsibility by Maybelle A. Timm.

January 18, 1940

Deed, Clara Maude Milnes to Olive Eugenia Bird.

Location notice, Scatterbrain by M. Frances Needham.

## Household Hint

Here is something new for supper on a frosty night or for a Sunday tea: Add a cup of chopped cooked ham to your regular waffle recipe, then cook the waffles as usual. Serve them topped with scrambled eggs and accompanied by plenty of hot coffee. Or add some grated cheese to the waffle batter and serve the minced ham in the scrambled eggs.

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